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Mediterranean Fowls.

NEXT IN popularity to the American breeds are the Leghorns, White and Brown Leghorns, both single and rose combed, have become most popular throughout the country. We presume that there are more White Leghorns kept for egg-production than any other one breed of fowls. Following these are the Brown Leghorns, and at the present time the Buff Leghorns and the Anconas are having considerable attention. Scarcely any one familiar with poultry, but who is not well acquainted with the Leghorn family. The Anconas are Leghorns that have a broken black and white plumage, the same as have the Houdans. They are the new variety of the Mediterranean family, and in some quarters are having considerable attention.

Some few breeders are making a specialty of the Buff Leghorn for producing market eggs. A number of poultrymen produce the Buff Leghorns as a fancier's fowl. All of the varieties of Leghorns, the White, the Brown, the Buff, the Black, the Silver Duck-wing, and the Ancona are fostered and kept to the very highest degree of shape and color for exhibition purposes. Fortunes have been made in growing these as fancy poultry. This is perhaps more easily done than with other breeds from the fact that there is a ready sale for all the Leghorns that are produced. When the best have been selected for exhibition purposes, the balance are used for producing eggs for the market.

The white shell eggs usually bring the highest price of any eggs that are sold into the market, especially during the winter months when there is such a demand for fresh-laid eggs. There are many points of excellence in the Leghorn that must have special attention for exhibition purposes.

The most desirable of these is the beautiful head, comb, and ear-lobes.

The ear lobes of all the Mediterranean family must be of pure enameled white. The combs must be fine in texture, beautiful in color and nicely shaped. There is a peculiar shape to the head and comb of the Leghorn that is most attractive when of the best quality. However, when ragged or rough in appearance, it detracts very much from the specimen. Following these head points comes the shape of body and the carriage of tail; the squirrel tail is most undesirable, while a slight downward inflection of carriage of the tail is becoming quite popular. In addition to this, the white Leghorn must have the rich colors of the Black Red Game fowl, with yellow shanks and beak. The Buff Leghorns must be as rich and true in color as are any of the Buff fowls. The Ancona is a beautiful combination of broken white and black. The Black Leghorn has a rich, glossy black color, the Silver Duckwing is colored and marked the same as are the Duck-wing Games and in addition to these, there are at times seen Leghorns having the same color and marking as have the Pyle Games.—Feather.

Words With the Cook

A man entered a well-known restaurant in New York the other day and beckoned to a waiter.—“Bring me,” he said, “two fried eggs—one fried on one side, and one on the other.”

The waiter looked slightly puzzled, but answered: “Yes sir,” and disappeared toward the kitchen.

Ten minutes later he returned, looking decidedly worried.

“Would you mind repeating that order, sir?” he asked.

I want two fried eggs,” said the diner; “one fried on one side and one on the other.”

The waiter again disappeared in the direction of the kitchen. After a longer wait than before he returned, his clothes disheveled and his face bruised and scratched.

“I beg your pardon sir,” he said, “but would you mind having boiled eggs? I’ve had words with the cook.”

—Harper’s Weekly.

Hard Times In Kansas.

The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of to-day; although a citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: “I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King’s New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me.” The safest and most reliable cough and cold cure and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by R. C. Hardwick, druggist. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

The Indian Runner Duck.

Brief Description and History of Its Origin.—An Unrivalled All the Year Round Egg Producer.

ALL poultry keepers of the old school, both in America and in the British Islands, remember the time when the Indian Runner duck was quite unknown, and even younger men are aware that ten years ago this excellent (read of waterfowl) was nothing like a popular favorite because even then it was known merely to the few, and the great majority of the poultry keepers had not the slightest conception of its unrivalled merits as a layer. The history of its origin is somewhat obscure, but our first acquaintance with it on this side of the water was when it was brought to Scotland some twenty years ago by a sea captain trading between the British Islands and the West-Indies. Thus it got the name of “Indian” with the affix “Runner”, to denote its chief peculiarity, namely the rapidity of its movements over the ground. The Indian Runner duck is a breed of peculiarly distinctive type, possessed of a long, slender and graceful body, which has been graphically described as of the shape of a soda water bottle, sets on legs. The neck is also long and slender and the head and bill rather large proportion to the size of the body. The carriage of the body is not very unlike that of the Pekin duck, that is to say, penguin-like, but while the Pekin is sluggish and inactive, in gait, the Indian Runner is most alert and active, and spends very little time loafing, as is the custom with ordinary ducks. For many years, in this country, the Runner was regarded as a profitable duck for the utility poultry keeper, but received little or no attention at the hands of the fancier, and consequently it was bred for utility only, without care as to its shape or plumage. Thus the different colored varieties of the breed were intermixed, but this did not spoil the distinctive shapes of the duck, and when at a later stage the Indian Runner was taken in hand by the fanciers, there was no great difficulty about establishing the three distinct varieties which are now so well known. There are: (1) Fawn and White. (2) Brown and White and (3) White. The fawn and white variety is the most popular and also the handsomest, and may be thus described: Drake: Bill large, strong and wedge-shaped, very thick at the base and tapering toward the top. Color of bill, greenish yellow, when the bird is full grown, but yellow when a duckling. Head of a lustrous black color, shaded with bronze and having a narrow circle of white around the base of the bill. Neck long, slender and white in



feather, but without any distinct band of marking between it and the black or the fawn of the shoulders into which the white runs irregularly. Body parti-colored, white and fawn, that portion in front of the legs being chiefly fawn, and the hinder portions white, but the outlines are not by any means regular. The back and upper parts of the wings are fawn, there being a large heart-shaped patch of this color extending from the shoulders almost to the tail. The difference in marking between the drake and duck is but slight and consist in a variety of the shades but not in the position of the marking in those parts of the head and tail, wherein the drake is black. The fawn patches on the body are darker than in the male and are evenly penciled with fawn of a dark shade. The duck’s bill is also wedge-shaped and the color is of a dark green with a dull or leader cast.

The Brown and White Indian Runner is not so extensively kept as is the variety above described. From a utility point of view it is quite as useful a duck, but it seems not to have taken on to the same extent as the older and handsomer variety. The plumage of the duck is made up of white and brown, the brown being of the penciled kind similar to the plumage of the Rouen duck. The drake is of a light-gray mixed with white.

The White Indian Runner is pure

white and exceedingly handsome. In shape it is similar to the other varieties.

Let us now briefly consider the Indian Runner from the point of view of the utility poultry keeper. It is undoubtedly one of the most profitable breeds that can be found when one has an unlimited range for it or even a large field, because it is a first rate forager and is ever on the move in search of food, so that if a natural food is available this duck requires or will take very little from the hands of its owner. On the other hand it is also a useful duck to keep where space is limited and water is scarce, for in these conditions it thrives equally well, though of course it consumes more food and lays fewer eggs. It is indeed one of the few breeds that will do well without having access to a brook or pond, and for this reason it is kept by many who have not facilities for keeping ducks of other kinds. In Ireland I have observed that since the advent of the Indian Runner almost all other breeds have become practically extinct. One never sees a Pekin or an Aylesbury or a Rouen where formerly hundreds were kept, and there are but few Cayugas or East Indians. This is chiefly owing to the fact that ducks are kept here for their eggs rather than for their flesh, and consequently the Indian Runner fills the bill. No other duck can approach it as a layer and it is the rival of most breeds of hens. Its capacity for winter egg production when eggs of all kinds are so scarce and dear is perhaps its strongest point, for there are very many people who require a supply of eggs all the year around to fill contracts with hotels, public schools, asylums, and other institutions, and when the hen fails in her duty the sprightly Indian Runner duck can equally be depended upon to step into the breach.

The eggs are of delicate flavor and white or light shelled, so that there is no great objection to them for breakfast use, and by many who would not look at a large green shelled duck egg the egg of the Indian Runner is eaten as if it were a hen egg.

As a table bird, the Indian Runner is not regarded with very great favor, because of its small size, yet the flesh is juicy, tender and delicate, and the ducklings grow to a size fit for killing at a very early age. It is used by several duck raisers to cross with the Aylesbury, and it is found that at the killing age, say ten weeks, the cross-bred Indian Runner-Aylesbury is not much inferior in size to the pure Aylesbury, although, of course, ultimately the latter would outstrip it in growth.

—H. De Courcy in Inland Poultry Journal.

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Egg-Laying Contest.

We have a communication from Mr. Lawrence Waring, of Norfolk, Va., in which he states that he shall personally have in charge an egg-laying contest to be held in connection with the Jamestown Exposition. He has had allotted to him sufficient ground of a proper character in which to carry on this egg-laying contest, and he seeks the cooperation and support of all admirers and breeders of the various kinds of poultry. A prize of five hundred dollars in gold will be awarded the pen making the best record, and a series of other valuable money prizes will be awarded the best pen of each breed, and also to the greatest individual layer of each breed.

The contest will begin May 15, and close October 15, and is open to all breeders in the United States, each pen to consist of ten hens and one male bird. All interested in these should write direct to Mr. Waring, at Norfolk, Va.—Feather.

A. S. of E. Meeting.

The A. S. of E. county union of Christian county will meet at Bluff Spring, April 13th, at 10 o'clock a. m. All members of local unions are requested to write to F. B. McCown, Pres. C. C. U. A. S. of E., Kirksmansville, Ky.

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